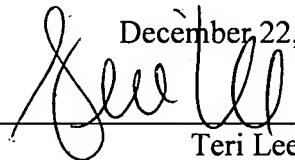


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<p>In re Application of:</p> <p>Thomas Wu</p> <p>Serial No.: 10/531,147</p> <p>Filed: April 12, 2005</p> <p>For: <i>Compositions and Methods For The Diagnosis and Treatment of Tumor</i></p>	<p>Group Art Unit: Unknown</p> <p>Examiner: Not Yet Assigned</p> <p>Confirmation No.: 4679</p> <p>Customer No.: 09157</p> <p>CERTIFICATE OF MAILING I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on</p> <p>December 22, 2005</p> <p> Teri Lee</p>	<p>RECEIVED</p> <p>2 FEB 2006</p> <p>Legal Staff International Division</p>
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PETITION TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b) to correct inventorship in the above captioned application. In support of this petition, Applicants enclose the following:

- (1) a request, signed by a party set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.33(b), to correct the inventorship that identifies the named inventor or inventors being deleted and acknowledges that the inventor's invention is no longer being claimed in the above captioned patent application; and
- (2) the processing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i).

Due to amendment and/or cancellation of certain claims during the prosecution of the above captioned patent application, certain persons originally named as inventors on this application are no longer deemed to have made an inventive contribution to the presently claimed subject matter. As such, please delete as a named inventor herein the following person: Yan Zhou. The invention(s)

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made by this person is no longer being claimed in the above captioned patent application.

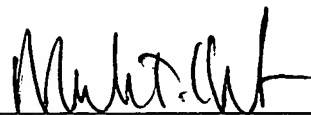
Deletion of the above identified persons as named inventors herein leaves the following proper inventor for the presently claimed subject matter: Thomas D. Wu.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, including extension fees and the fee required for this submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i), or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630.

The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (650) 225-4461 if any issues may be resolved in that manner.

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